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Our Centennial Offer.

To anyone getting a club of 25 paid-up subscribers for the News for one year each, we will give a ticket to the Nashville Centennial good to return in seven days from its date at Whitwell. This is a good chance for some enterprising boy or girl to go and see the Exposition free of charge as regards railroad expenses there and back, admission to the Centennial and carfare to the grounds and return.

To Our Exchanges.

Our exchanges will please notice that our publication office is again SEQUACHEE, and will, therefore, kindly address us here.

LOCAL.

Use Meriweather's Scotch Snuff.

Call for Meriweather's Scotch Snuff

R. J. Brown went to Whitwell Saturday.

B. B. Lasater was in Sequachee Tuesday morning.

Mr. J. Ferguson, of Jasper, was in town Tuesday visiting relatives.

Mr. S. P. Pryor held a religious service at his mother's house Saturday evening.

Blank Deeds, Mortgage Deeds and Chattel Mortgage Deeds for sale at this office.

Mr. N. Fulfur has been seriously ill this week, but at last accounts was on the mend.

Meriweather's Scotch Snuff is the only guaranteed first-class snuff sold at half price.

There was joy in the house of Skiles Tuesday caused by the arrival of a fine boy.

CASCARETS stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe, 10c.

Meriweather's Scotch Snuff saves you money, and is guaranteed to give you satisfaction.

John M. Byers came home from Whitwell Sunday and returned Monday evening.

Austin Coppinger has 4 acres in melons and will put in more. He has also 30 acres of good wheat.

Mrs. L. N. Farley, of Concord, N. H., was good enough last week to send us a copy of the Boston Journal for which we are much obliged. A Boston paper is to us a real treat.

Mr. J. H. Eakin and Mr. John Curtis, of Jasper, were in town Saturday. We received at the hands of Mr. Curtis a magnificent peony which pleased us much.

Mr. Eugene Foster, of Foster Bros., Editors and Proprietors of the Gladwin Co. Record, Gladwin, Mich., spent Thursday and Friday of last week here. He came South with the Michigan Press Association and came here to visit C. H. Pearson, who formerly resided at Gladwin. He is a companionable gentleman and we were glad to make his acquaintance and extend to him some little courtesy and show him some of Sequachee. We gladly place the Record upon our exchange list.



TRANSPORTATION & AGRICULTURAL BUILDING.

[Tennessee Centennial.]

Whitwell.

Special to the News:

Pay Day has not come yet. Drummers are frequent callers this week.

Children's Day next Sunday and a nice program has been arranged.

The ice cream supper was a success, realizing about \$20.00 clear.

Dr. J. M. Lasater is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Dyer this week.

J. J. Dykes believes in improvements and is having the fence in front of his dwelling painted.

Dr. W. H. Bryan and wife, who have been visiting the latter's parents returned to Chattanooga Sunday.

Rev. J. T. Price returned to Bell Buckle Wednesday. He has been visiting his father, J. W. Price, who is very sick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Crockett, and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Eakin went to Sulphur Springs on the mountain this week to look out a location for the summer.

The Literary Society is growing very fast. Four new members were added to our number Monday night. The subject for next meeting is, Resolved that the Bible should be taught in the public schools.

Speakers, Will Bailey and Dr. N. B. Moore on the affirmative; W. L. Barker and A. W. Crockett, on the negative. Every one that can, come out and let us make the society a success.

Black Eyes.

W. L. Barber is having his house painted.

Mrs. A. H. Blacklock spent the 19th in Jasper.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Livingston spent Sunday at Ebenezer.

We are glad to state that Mrs. J. E. Davis is improving.

Miss Allie Anderson was visiting in our burg Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. R. McRee, of Soddy, is visiting her sons, the Drs. McRee, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams, who have been visiting in Ohio, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Dr. Gilbreath went to Chattanooga Friday. She expects to remain a month.

Our school will close Friday. The past term has been very interesting and we hope profitable.

Walter Crozier and Ernest Walker, the run-aways returned hot, tired and dirty Friday evening.

MEMORIAL DAY. SATURDAY, MAY 29TH, 1897.

PROGRAM.

IN the early morning the Comrades detailed will visit the various graveyards and cemeteries in the County and perform the act of decoration.

At 11 a. m., a Special Meeting of Post 53, G. A. R. will be held to receive reports of the details and to muster recruits who may be present. At the adjournment of the Post, a meeting of P. M. Pryor Camp, Sons of Veterans, U. S. A., will be held.

From 12:30 to 1:30 p. m., the Comrades, Sons of Veterans, and visiting friends will assemble at the Blowing Spring, Columbus Park, for basket collation and reunion.

At 1:45, line will be formed in the following order: P. M. Pryor Camp No. 7, Sons of Veterans, U. S. A., under the command of Capt. W. S. Pryor, escort.

Children with flowers and flags.

Post 53, G. A. R., S. V.-Commander John Slatton, commanding.

The line of march will be taken to the cemetery, where the Decoration ceremonies will take place. Then returning to the grove near Owen church, the following exercises will be carried out:

1. Reading of orders,.....Adjutant.
2. National Memorial Hymn by J. E. Estes,.....Choir.
3. Address by Commander followed by G. A. R. Ritual.
4. "One Sweetly Solemn Thought,".....Choir.
5. Lincoln's Address,.....Mrs. R. F. La Ganke.
6. "The Dying Soldiers".....Choir.
7. Oration.....Capt. W. S. Pryor.
8. "The Star-Spangled Banner".....Choir.
9. Benediction.

The Sunday school of Owen Church will have light refreshments for sale west of the church for the convenience of visitors.

At 7:30 p. m., the Sequachee Dramatic Society will present at Owen Church, the beautiful 2-act drama, "Bread Upon the Waters," with the following cast of characters:

DR. HARLEM, Principal of Greenlake Seminary,.....J. W. Graham.
HARRY HARLEM, his son,.....W. S. Pryor.
FRED HASTINGS, a pupil,.....Sam Roberson.
BOB WINDERS, another pupil,.....Spears Roberson.
JONATHAN WILD BUTTS, the Town Constable,.....W. C. Hill.
LUCY HARLEM, the Doctor's Daughter,.....Mrs. J. W. Graham.
MRS. LORING, Housekeeper,.....Mrs. R. F. La Ganke.
DILLY (picked up from the streets).....Miss Mathilde Gustafson.

Mr. J. E. Davis, of Long View, Texas, who has been visiting his wife for the past week returned Monday.

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The church yard received its finishing cleaning up Saturday. Of the lots in the graveyard that of Davenport presents the neatest and best appearance.

Col. S. H. Melcher who is pleasantly located at 217 La Salle Ave., Chicago, Ill., is kind to remember us by a paper now and then, and we are very glad to get them. We wish it were possible to have the Col. here permanently.

Mrs. Julia Merritt, of Victoria, and Mr. E. Pryor and Miss Biddie Pryor, of Whitwell, were visiting Mrs. P. M. Pryor Friday.

Post 53, G. A. R., attends Divine Service at Victoria.

Sunday afternoon the school house at Victoria was well filled and comrades of the Post and citizens were present from all parts of the County. Whitwell, Jasper and Battle Creek were well represented and two comrades from the Department of Missouri were present. The arrangement of the platform was lightened by many floral decorations. Mrs. Davenport furnished a floral shield and kindly lent her organ for the service. The Sons of Veterans attended in good numbers and a volunteer choir furnished good music. The services were in charge of Chaplain I. N. Knox of Post 53, and began shortly after 2 o'clock. The choir sang a new Memorial Hymn by J. Edmund Estes, of Fall River, Mass. Then prayer was offered by Rev. Jacob Hoots, of Sequachee. The Battle Hymn of the Republic followed, Miss Gustafson singing the verses as a solo grandly as she always does. Then a scripture lesson which was followed by an admirable sermon on the "The Resurrection," by Chaplain Knox. The choir then sang "Hail Columbia," and short addresses were made by Commander Hill, of Post 53, and Capt. W. S. Pryor, Commanding Camp 7, Sons of Veterans which was followed by the "Star Spangled Banner." A short prayer and benediction by Capt. John Frater closed the service.

This new departure on the part of the Post in holding the service preceding Memorial Day outside Sequachee was much appreciated and we hope the conditions may be so next year that some other place in the County may be so honored. 24 comrades of the Post were present.

Pleasant Hill.

Special to the News:

Mrs. Isham Quarles has been very ill.

R. C. Quarles was down at SoPittsburg last week.

We have been enjoying some fine weather the past week.

Your corr. attended preaching at Ebenezer last Sunday.

Tullius Kelley of Inman attended church at Ebenezer Sunday last.

What was wrong with "X" last week. Come on you Mountain Sager.

Mr. and Mrs. Hackworth, of SoPittsburg visited relatives near here Sunday.

Rev. Wooten preached an excellent sermon at Ebenezer Sunday, which was well attended and was enjoyed very much.

We are glad to learn of the News being brought back to Sequachee. We like to have our home papers near home. I think if all the correspondents are willing we will fix up and get "Hardscratch" in condition for writing again.

Miss Emma Gable of Sequachee visited near here Sunday.—Pleasant Hill Correspondent in SoPittsburg Republican.

I think the Republican correspondent will have to learn to spell. It is Miss Emma Gable, we presume.

Success to the News, I will try to come again soon.

NEWSMAN.